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The Telegram has felt for several months past that the three men above named would be all the candidates to enter the race and it is of the opinion that the candidacy of Judge Robinson appeals more strongly to the voters of the state than that of any other man who has been mentioned for the place. His position on the highest court of the state prevented him from taking an active part in the strenuous campaigns of the last four years and, therefore, leaves him without the enmity of any faction of the party, if there be any. His opinions while a member of the supreme court show him to be a man of broad vision, of strong human sympathies and a safe man for the business interests of the state, upon which the prosperity and happiness of all the people depend. Judge Robinson is an excellent campaigner, a man of unquestioned character and integrity, and he stands high in his church, in his party and in the estimation of his fellowmen.

The issues of a campaign make certain men available at one time and unavailable at another. The Telegram believes that the issues of this campaign make Judge Robinson the one man most available and the candidate who can command the greatest strength after he is nominated. Mr. Durr is a man of splendid qualifications and he would make an excellent governor, but for some reason his candidacy has not aroused the interest and enthusiasm that his splendid services to his state and to his party deserve. His reward for his services, if it does not come now, is sure to come later. As for Mr.

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LIFELESS, GRAY HAIR

If Mixed with Sulphur it Darkens So Naturally Nobody Can Tell.

Grandmother kept her hair beautifully darkened, glossy and abundant with a brew of Sage Tea and Sulphur. Whenever her hair fell out or took on that dull, faded or streaked appearance, this simple mixture was applied with wonderful effect. By asking at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound" you will get a large bottle of this old-time recipe, ready to use, for about 50 cents. This simple mixture can be depended upon to restore natural color and beauty to the hair and is splendid for dandruff, dry, itchy scalp and falling hair. A well-known downtown druggist says everybody uses Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur, because it darkens so naturally and evenly that nobody can tell it has been applied—it's so easy to use, too. You simply dampen a comb or soft brush and draw it through your hair, taking one strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears; after another application or two, it is restored to its natural color and looks glossy, soft and abundant.—Advertisement.

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## THE DAILY NOVELET

THE WOEBEGONE MAN.

We've heard about the jolly tar, Since history began. He gaily puffs his big seagor, And is a happy man.

The woe-begone man with the woe-begone whiskers, leaned, woe-begone, partly against a telegraph pole, partly against a tree.  
"Poor man!" the philanthropic stranger said to him. "Why this distress? Why woe-begone?"  
The woe-begone man looked at him with lack-luster eyes and said monotonously: "Ten years ago I realized what a frightful waste of money went into the buying of cigars and tobacco, and, although no man ever loved his smoke more than I, I gave up the habit by a prodigious effort of will, and resolved to put all the money that would have gone for tobacco into the bank.""And a very sensible idea, too," said the philanthropist approvingly. "For ten years I faithfully laid aside all my tobacco money, denying myself my loved weed, until I had enough money put away to lift the mortgage on my Ford."  
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